

**PART 73: ORDINANCE 1**

**PARK RULES**

THE TOWNSHIP OF LENOX ORDAINS:

**SECTION 1: Regulations Pertaining to Lenox Township Parks.**

- A. No person shall kindle or build a fire in any public park or playground *except* in such receptacles as are provided for such public use, or in private receptacles or grills, provided same are placed in areas designated for such purpose.
- B. No person or group shall bring alcoholic beverages into any park nor shall person or group drink alcoholic beverages at any time in any park unless they have first obtained written permission from the Designated Township Official stating that he or she may do so on a specific date. There shall be not more than one permit issued per day per park. No permit shall be issued for consumption of alcoholic beverages having alcohol content higher than that of beer or wine. The Designated Township Official may revoke this permission.
- C. No glass containers of any type shall be brought onto park premises.
- D. No motorcycles, snowmobiles, motor scooters, motor bicycles, motor carts, mini-bikes, "go-carts", "dune buggies", off-road or all-terrain vehicles shall be permitted in any public park or playground. All persons shall comply with all provisions of the uniform traffic code as well as all township ordinance provisions relative to operation of motor vehicles. No person shall drive or park motor vehicle in park areas other than those identifies as roads or parking areas with exception to areas, which may be temporarily, identifies as parking areas for special occasions or events. This section shall not apply to maintenance personnel or authorized township vehicles.
- E. In park areas where pets are permitted, such pets shall, at all times, be kept under reasonable control and be on a leash. Pets are to be kept exclusively on the pathways. Any waste, such as feces, that is generated by any pet must be removed and disposed of by their owner or the person assigned responsibility for such pet. Non-compliance of this Ordinance shall consist of a misdemeanor with a maximum \$100.00 fine.

- F. No person shall dump, deposit or leave any ashes, boxes, containers, rubbish, waste, garbage or other trash of any sort in any public park, except in proper receptacles where they are provided. Where receptacles are not provided, all rubbish or waste shall be removed from the park by those responsible for its presence to an appropriate location outside of the park.
- G. No person shall drive or putt a golf ball or otherwise practice the game of golf in a public park or playground.
- H. No person shall play paint ball in a public park or playground.

**SECTION 2: Repeal And Effective Date.**

All regulatory provisions contained in other Township Ordinances that are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 3: Effective Date.**

This Ordinance shall become, 30 days following publication of a Notice of Adoption.  
Certification of Township Clerk

Adopted: March 5, 2001  
Effective: April 14, 2001  
Amended: June 1, 2009